California State University, Chico
Department of Mechanical and Mechatronic Engineering
and Advanced Manufacturing

AMAR 160 – MANUFACTURING PROCESSES (3.0 UNITS)
COURSE SYLLABUS – Spring 2023

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Class days and times
Labs –
Sec. 2: Monday 5:00pm - 7:50pm,
Sec. 3: Tuesday 2:00pm - 4:50pm,
Sec. 4: Wednesday 2:00pm-4:50pm,
Sec. 5: Thursday 2:00pm–4:50pm

Classroom: Lecture: Langdon 302, Labs: Plumas 116
Prerequisites: None

Course Usage of Blackboard Learn
Copies of the course syllabus and major assignments may be found on Blackboard Learn course 232-AMAR160-3164. You are responsible for regularly checking the online resources, which are accessed through the Chico State Portal. All grading, including lab grades, will be in this one-course module.

Course Description and Goals
This course is designed to familiarize the student with the basic concepts of manufacturing processes and their uses.

Course Content Learning Outcomes
Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:
1. Understanding of the principles of manufacturing, materials, and processes.
2. Understand how to solve design and manufacturing problems
3. Understand how Life Cycle Analysis and the Reduce, Reuse, Recycle principles can be integrated into manufacturing processes.
4. Understand the relationship between design and manufacturing.
Required Textbook
ebook ISBN 9780768090963 or PRINT ISBN 9780768093278

This book is available for free as an ebook through Meriam Library. Please see the instructions on Blackboard. Hardcopies are available from the bookstore, Amazon, or the SAE Publishing website.

Optional Books – Recommended

Required Equipment:
• Safety glasses are A MUST (One pair will be given to you in lab.)
• 6” Stainless Steel Digital Calipers - .0005in Resolution / .0001in Accuracy (Amazon - NEIKO 01407A Electronic Digital Caliper, Harborfrieght Digital 6” Caliper, or equivalent) NO PLASTIC CALIPPERS!

Optional equipment:
Lab coat or apron (optional)
Powder Coating of Hoist/Winch project ($10.00, optional)

AMAR 395 Open lab - All students have been enrolled in AMAR 395 - Manufacturing Laboratory Practice (1 unit Credit / no credit). These are (3) two-hour open lab sessions available to students for class related work.
AMAR 395 Times: Tues. 9am - 11am, Weds. 5pm – 7pm, Fri. 2pm – 4pm

SAFETY: Everyone in Plumas 114, 116 and 121 must wear eye protection and closed-toed shoes at all times except in the areas of Plumas 114 between the entrance door and yellow/black limit lines on the floor. No student may work in these labs without first passing the safety quiz (60%) and signing an Acknowledgement of Lab Safety Policies and Procedures.

USE OF CELL PHONES OR HEADPHONES WILL NOT BE PERMITTED DURING THE LAB EXCEPT IN THE PLMS 116A CLASSROOM.

ANYONE FAILING TO COMPLY WITH ALL LAB SAFETY RULES WILL BE TOLD TO LEAVE THE LAB IMMEDIATELY, MARKED ABSENT, AND NOT ALLOWED TO RETURN TO THE LAB THAT DAY. REPEATED OFFENSES WILL RESULT IN FAILING THE COURSE.
Classroom Protocol

**ATTENDANCE:** Attendance is 10% percent of the class grade. Because true learning occurs only when the learner is an active participant in the learning process, your active participation in this class is essential and expected. Missing any lecture or lab session will be detrimental to your success and ultimately your grade in this course. Every class meeting will provide opportunities for both lecture and demonstration material to be received.

**Do not expect the instructor to provide special make-up demonstrations of missed material.**

**CLEANUP:** Laboratory cleanup is very important in this course. Consequently, failure to properly clean-up will reduce your final grade by a third of a letter grade per occurrence (example B- to C+). Each student will have an assigned cleanup area for which he/she is responsible. Cleanup will take place during the last 20 minutes of each lab session, so in order to participate in cleanup, you must be present at the end of each lab session.

Students will be required to turn their campus ID at the beginning of lab. They will be returned at the end of the lab period after cleanup. Failing to turn in your ID, removing the ID, or leaving the ID will result in being marked absent for the lab. You are required to stay for the entire duration of each lecture and lab session unless dismissed by the instructor or will you will be marked absent.

**LAB MONITORS AND TEACHING ASSISTANTS:** There will be students in the labs at various times who are Lab Monitors and/or Teaching Assistants. Part of their duties are to make sure that all students are wearing safety glasses, closed-toed shoes and any other Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) that is required for specific lab activities. They have the authority to tell students who are not following safety procedures to leave the lab immediately. They also have the authority to enforce proper cleanup procedures by all students.

**Dropping and Adding**  
You are responsible for understanding the policies and procedures about add/drops, academic renewal, etc., found in the CSU Chico University Catalog. You should be aware of the new deadlines and penalties for adding and dropping classes.
Assignments and Grading Policy

Grading Breakdown

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**EXAMS:** There will be 2 midterms exams and 1 final exam, and can be a mixture of true/false, matching, multiple-choice, and short-answer questions. **These exams are to be completed without the use of textbooks, notes, or other materials.** If you want to do well on the exams, you will need to complete the assigned reading, quizzes, assignments, to have good grasp of the material presented in the course. A slight grading curve is usually applied to the exams, but in no case will this result in a student’s grade being lowered. No electronic devices of any kind may be used or active during exams.

**QUIZZES:** There will be an assignment and/or a quiz (or two) given each week. Quizzes will be accessible after the lecture on Blackboard and until the following Sunday night at midnight. The quiz questions will be based mostly on the lab materials, exercises and demonstrations in the lab videos. Any of your own class materials may be used to help you complete the quizzes, so it is a good idea to have all your materials (textbook, part drawings, notes) when you complete each quiz.

**HOMEWORK:** The main homework you will have in this course is reading the textbook. If you want to do well in this course, you will need to complete the assigned reading. We will be covering about 75% of the textbook, which is a significant amount of reading. You should also watch the videos on Blackboard that show how to complete the lab assignments.

**LATE ASSIGNMENTS:** Any work turned in after the due date will lose one letter grade (below the earned grade) for each week past the due date. If any quizzes or exams are missed, they may not be taken later without a doctor’s note.
University Policies and Campus Resources

Covid-19
The CSU requires students to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 unless you have an approved exemption. Policies and requirements regarding COVID-19 are subject to change pursuant to campus, local, state and/or federal guidelines.

Please note that dishonesty relating to the vaccination policy and/or your failure to comply with any other COVID-19 related safety policy or mandate, including the face covering if required, may result in disciplinary action against you through the office of Student Conduct, Rights and Responsibilities, which can include suspension or expulsion from the California State University system. Current information can be found on the university website.

Individuals unable to wear a face covering due to a medical condition should contact the Accessibility Resource Center by phone at (530) 898-5959 or by email at arcdept@csuchico.edu.

What You Should Do if You are Symptomatic or Test Positive for COVID-19?
1. Please stay at home if you are symptomatic or test positive.
2. Call the COVID-19 hotline (530-898-2222) and follow their guidance.
3. Stay in communication with your instructor.

Academic Integrity
Students are expected to be familiar with the University’s Academic Integrity Policy. Your own commitment to learning, as evidenced by your enrollment at California State University, Chico, and the University’s Academic Integrity Policy requires you to be honest in all your academic course work. Faculty members are required to report all infractions to the Office of Student Judicial Affairs. The policy on academic integrity and other resources related to student conduct can be found on the Student Judicial Affairs web site.

IT Support Services
Computer labs for student use are located on the first and fourth floor of the Meriam Library, Room 116 and 450, Tehama Hall Room 131, and the Bell Memorial Union (BMU) basement. You can get help using your computer from IT Support Services; contact them through the ITSS web site. Additional labs may be available to students in your department or college.

Student Services
Student services are designed to assist students in the development of their full academic potential and to motivate them to become self-directed learners. Students can find support for services such as skills assessment, individual or group tutorials, subject advising, learning assistance, summer academic preparation and basic skills development. Student services information can be found on the current students page of the CSU Chico web site.
Americans with Disabilities Act
If you need course adaptations or accommodations because of a disability or chronic illness, or if you need to make special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, please make an appointment with me as soon as possible, or see me during office hours. Please also contact Accessibility Resource Center (ARC) as they are the designated department responsible for approving and coordinating reasonable accommodations and services for students with disabilities. ARC will help you understand your rights and responsibilities under the Americans with Disabilities Act and provide you further assistance with requesting and arranging accommodations.

Accessibility Resource Center
530-898-5959
Student Services Center 170
arcdept@csuchico.edu

Student Learning Center
The mission of the Student Learning Center (SLC) is to provide services that will assist CSU, Chico students to become independent learners. The SLC prepares and supports students in their college course work by offering a variety of programs and resources to meet student needs. The SLC facilitates the academic transition and retention of students from high schools and community colleges by providing study strategy information, content subject tutoring, and supplemental instruction. The University Writing Center has been combined with the Student Learning Center. You can also visit the Student Learning Center web site.

Blackboard ALLY
Chico State is committed to providing you the best learning experience possible. With this goal we have activated Blackboard ALLY in your courses. You will now be able to download any content in this course in the format that fits best with your learning style. PDF, HTML, .EPUB and Audio files are now available for most content items. Here is a link to more information on formats available as well as what each format offers. Should you have any questions or experience issues while using ALLY please contact the Office of Accessible Technology and Services at oats@csuchico.edu or 530-898-6532.

This syllabus may change as needed by the instructor. If changes are necessary an updated syllabus will be posted on blackboard and announced in class.